UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURSOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
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In re	: Chapter 11
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GENERAL MOTORS CORP., et al.,	: Case No. 09-50026 (REG
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Debtors.	: (Jointly Administered)
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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF LIMITED OBJECTION OF DTE TONAWANDA, LLC TO NOTICE OF

(I) DEBTORS' INTENT TO ASSUME AND ASSIGN CERTAIN EXECUTORY CONTRACTS, UNEXPIRED LEASES OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AND UNEXPIRED LEASES OF NONRESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY AND

(II) CURE AMOUNTS RELATED THERETO

DTE Tonawanda, LLC ("<u>Tonawanda</u>"), by and through its counsel, Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP, hereby withdraws its Limited Objection (the "<u>Objection</u>", Docket No. 1231) to the General Motors Corporation's ("<u>GM</u>") proposed assumption and assignment of certain executory contracts with Tonawanda. In support of this Notice of Withdrawal, Tonawanda represents as follows:

- 1. On June 8, 2009, Tonawanda received the "Notice of (I) Debtors' Intent to Assume and Assign Certain Executory Contracts, Unexpired Leases of Personal Property, and Unexpired Leases of Nonresidential Real Property and (II) Cure Costs Related Thereto", dated June 5, 2009 (the "Cure Notice").
- 2. Tonawanda filed the Objection on June 15, 2009, stating, *inter alia*, that Tonawanda objects to the assumption and assignment of the Assumable Executory

Contracts on the grounds that the Debtors have failed to provide adequate notice of the specific agreements that they intend to assume and assign, and therefore have not and cannot establish their ability to satisfy the conditions to assumptions set forth in section 365(b) and 365(f)(2)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code. 11 U.S.C. §365(b) and 365(f)(2)(B).

3. Tonawanda and General Motors Company (formerly NGMCO, Inc.) have subsequently entered into the Agreement to Resolve Objection to Cure Notice (attached hereto as Exhibit A) and a letter agreement that sets forth the contracts being assumed (attached hereto as Exhibit B) pursuant to which Tonawanda has agreed to withdraw its Objection.

Dated: September 17, 2009 New York, New York Respectfully submitted,

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## EXHIBIT A

AGREEMENT TO RESOLVE OBJECTION TO CURE NOTICE



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July 22, 2009

DTE Tonawanda LLC 414 S. Main St., Suite 600 Ann Arbor, MI. 48014 United States

## Re: Agreement to Resolve Objection to Cure Notice

### Dear GM Supplier:

This letter is an agreement between General Motors Company (formerly NGMCO, Inc.) ("Purchaser") and <u>DTE Tonawanda, LLC</u>, on behalf of itself and its subsidiaries and affiliates (collectively, "Supplier"), relating to the resolution of Supplier's objection (the "Objection") to a notice of intent to assume and assign certain executory contracts and/or unexpired leases (the "Cure Notice") under § 365 of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. §§ 101 et seq.) and to evidence the agreement whereby Purchaser is satisfying all Cure Amounts as defined in the Sale Order (as defined below).

On June 1, 2009 (the "Petition Date"), Motors Liquidation Company (formerly General Motors Corporation) ("Old GM") and its debtor-subsidiaries commenced Case No. 09-50026 (the "Bankruptcy Case") currently pending before the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court"). Old GM issued to Supplier the Cure Notice in accordance with the Bankruptcy Court's order approving, among other things, procedures for the sale of substantially all of GM's assets pursuant to § 363 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "363 Transaction"), which was entered on June 2, 2009 [Docket No. 274] (the "Sale Procedures Order").¹ Subsequently, on July 5, 2009, the Bankruptcy Court entered its Order approving the 363 Transaction. The Cure Notice identifies certain executory contracts and/or unexpired leases (each an "Agreement" and, collectively, the "Agreements") that Old GM proposes to assume and assign to the Purchaser in accordance with the Sale Order. The Cure Notice also sets forth GM's proposed amount to cure all prepetition defaults under the Agreement(s), as required by § 365(b) of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Proposed Cure Amount").

On June 17, 2009, Supplier filed the Objection to the Cure Notice [Docket No. 1225].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Undefined capitalized terms used in this Agreement have the meanings set forth in the Sale Procedures Order (defined below).

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Supplier and Purchaser agree as follows:

- 1. Assumption and Assignment. Effective upon the Supplier's and Purchaser's execution of this letter agreement, the Agreement(s)' status on the Contract Website shall be changed to reflect "Assumed".
- 2. Agreed Cure Amount. To the extent not previously paid in the ordinary course of business, within five (5) business days following Supplier's and Purchaser's execution of this letter agreement, Purchaser will pay to Supplier (the "Agreed Cure Amount"), which represents Supplier's and Purchaser's agreement in satisfaction of any and all Cure Amounts (as defined in the Sale Order) as of the Commencement Date in respect of the Agreed Cure Amount is in full and final satisfaction of all claims of Supplier against Old GM and Purchaser, as the case may be, or any of their respective affiliates or subsidiaries arising under or related to the Agreement(s) and that paragraph 25 of the Sale Order shall be in full force and effect as between Supplier and Purchaser, upon Supplier's receipt of payment of the Agreed Cure Amount.
- 3. Postpetition Obligations. Purchaser will perform all obligations that arise or come due under the Agreement(s) on or after the Petition Date as and when such obligations come due in accordance with the Agreements(s)' terms in the ordinary course of business (the "Postpetition Obligations").
- 4. Withdrawal of the Objection. To the extent not previously withdrawn, the Objection is withdrawn and Supplier will take all actions necessary to withdraw promptly the objection from the Bankruptcy Court's docket.
- 5. Confidentiality. GM and Supplier agree that this letter agreement's content is confidential and not intended for dissemination beyond the parties without the express written consent of each of the parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any party may disclose the existence and terms of this Agreement (i) to the extent required by law or by any governmental agency or required or requested to be disclosed pursuant to legal process (including discovery requests) or in connection with any bankruptcy, insolvency, or similar proceeding involving any of the parties, (ii) to the extent necessary to enforce this letter agreement and (iii) to any employee, officer, director, agent, affiliate, representative, investor, partner, member, shareholder, or actual or potential financing source of such party or such party's affiliates (provided that any such person or entity is directed to maintain such information in confidence as contemplated by this Section and that such party shall be responsible and liable for the failure of any such person or entity to maintain such information in confidence as contemplated by this Section).

#### 6. General Terms.

(a) This letter agreement and the Sale Order together is the entire understanding of the parties in connection with the subject matter of this letter agreement.

- (b) The persons executing this letter agreement warrant that they have the corporate power and authority to execute this letter agreement and that this letter agreement has been duly authorized by the parties.
- (c) This letter agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by each party hereto on separate counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered will be an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument. For purposes of this letter agreement, signatures obtained by facsimile or other electronic means will constitute original signatures.
- (d) This letter agreement and the parties' respective rights and obligations are binding upon their respective successors and assigns, and together with the rights and remedies of the parties under this letter agreement, inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns.
- (e) This letter agreement may not be amended or modified unless the amendments or modifications are in writing signed by the parties.
- (f) The parties to this letter agreement acknowledge and agree that the rights and interests of the parties under this letter agreement are intended to benefit solely the parties to this letter agreement.
- (g) No delay or failure of the parties to exercise any respective right, power or privilege under this letter agreement will affect such right, power or privilege, nor will any single or partial exercise thereof preclude any further exercise thereof, nor the exercise of any other right, power or privilege.
- (h) Should any provision of this letter agreement be held invalid, prohibited, or unenforceable in any one jurisdiction it will, as to that jurisdiction only, be ineffective to the extent of such holding without invalidating the remaining provisions of this letter agreement, and any such holding does not invalidate or render unenforceable that provision in any other jurisdiction wherein it would be valid and enforceable.
- (i) This letter agreement is entered into among competent persons who are experienced in business and represented by counsel, and the parties and their respective counsel have carefully reviewed this letter agreement. Any ambiguous language in this agreement will not be construed against either party as the drafter of this letter agreement.
- (j) This letter agreement is made in the State of New York and is governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York, without regard to conflicts of laws principles.
- (k) This letter agreement is subject to all of the terms, conditions and limitations set forth in the Sale Order. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this letter agreement and the terms of the Sale Order, the terms of the Sale Order shall prevail. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to alter, modify, expand or diminish the terms of the Sale Order.

- 7. CONSULTATION WITH COUNSEL. THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THEY HAVE BEEN GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO CONSULT WITH COUNSEL OF THEIR CHOICE BEFORE EXECUTING THIS LETTER AGREEMENT AND ARE DOING SO WITHOUT DURESS, INTIMIDATION, OR COERCION AND WITHOUT RELIANCE UPON ANY REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES, OR COMMITMENTS OTHER THAN THOSE REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES, OR COMMITMENTS SET FORTH IN THIS LETTER AGREEMENT.
- 8. JURY TRIAL WAIVER. THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IS A CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT, BUT THAT THIS RIGHT MAY BE WAIVED. THE PARTIES EACH KNOWINGLY, VOLUNTARILY, AND WITHOUT DURESS, INTIMIDATION, OR COERCION, WAIVE ALL RIGHTS TO A TRIAL BY JURY OF ALL DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF OR IN RELATION TO THIS LETTER AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE PARTIES EXECUTED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS LETTER AGREEMENT. NO PARTY WILL BE DEEMED TO HAVE RELINQUISHED THE BENEFIT OF THIS JURY-TRIAL WAIVER UNLESS THE RELINQUISHMENT IS IN A WRITTEN INSTRUMENT SIGNED BY THE PARTY TO WHICH THE RELINQUISHMENT WILL BE CHARGED.

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Please acknowledge your agreement to the above terms by signing in the space provided.

Very truly yours,

GENERAL MOTORS COMPANY (formerly NGMCO, Inc.)

By:

Its: Executive Director

Acknowledged and Agreed:

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On behalf of itself and its subsidiaries and affiliates

By: Its Vice President - Odsire thou

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# EXHIBIT B

LETTER AGREEMENT

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August 7, 2009

### Via overnight express delivery

Robert Threlkeld, Manager Supply Contracts & Green Initiatives General Motors Corporation 30200 Mound Road Warren, MI. 48090

Re:

Agreement to Assign and Assume Certain DTE Tonawanda, LLC ("Tonawanda") Contracts by General Motors Company (formerly NGMCO, Inc.) ("GM")

Dear Mr. Threlkeld:

As you are aware, GM has provided Tonawanda with the Agreement to Resolve Objection to Cure Notice, dated as of July 22, 2009 (the "Agreement"). The purpose of this letter, therefore, is to clarify certain points regarding the Agreement. The secure contract websites referenced in the cure notices received by Tonawanda as well as the Agreement fail to adequately identify the specific contracts that GM intends to assume and assign (e.g., the contracts listed are not identified by name or date). Accordingly, Tonawanda has set forth in an attachment to this letter all of the contracts related to Tonawanda's provision of certain industrial support services at GM's vehicle engine facility located in Tonawanda, New York, and the financing arrangements related thereto (the "Tonawanda Contracts"). Tonawanda understands, consistent with previous discussions with GM representatives, that GM is in fact assuming all of the Tonawanda Contracts. Second, Tonawanda would also like to clarify that Tonawanda is not signing the Agreement on behalf of its affiliates or subsidiaries.

As Tonawanda would like some certainty with respect to its operation under the Tonawanda Contracts, please confirm your agreement with the preceding by executing a counterpart of this letter in the space indicated below and returning the executed counterpart to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

DTE TONAWANDA, LLC

By: Energy and Industrial Utilities Company, LLC

Acknowledged and Agreed:

GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION

**FINAL** 

# ATTACHMENT - AGREEMENTS OF DTE TONAWANDA, LLC

DOCUMENT	Parties
(1) Utility Services Agreement, dated May 23, 2001, and as amended August 22, 2008	DTE Tonawanda, LLC ("Tonawanda") and General Motors Corporation ("GM")
(2) Unconditional First Right to Purchase, dated May 23, 2001	Tonawanda and GM
(3) Project Site License Agreement, dated May 23, 2001	Tonawanda and GM
(4) Operating Services Agreement, dated January 1, 2008	Tonawanda and GM
(5) Mortgage and Security Agreement, dated May 23, 2001	Tonawanda and GM
(6) Secured Promissory Note, dated May 23, 2001	Tonawanda (in favor of GM)
(7) Tri-Party Agreement, dated May 23, 2001	Tonawanda, General Electric Capital Corporation ("GE") and GM
(8) Assignment of Agreement and Payments, dated May 23, 2001	Tonawanda, GE and GM
(9) Consent to Assignment of Agreement and Payments, dated May 23, 2001	GM
(10) Consent and Agreement of GM, dated May 23, 2001 (related to the Assignment and Assumption Agreement, dated May 23, 2001)	GM
(11) Guaranty dated January 1, 2008 by Energy and Industrial Utilities Company, LLC ("EIUC") in favor of GM	EIUC